in District Jalaun, Uttar Pradesh as on Ist July, 1992;

(b) what is the position of waiting list of Orai Gas Service, Kshir Sagar, Orai; where a person at Sl. No. 8170 on the waiting listregistered on 28th January, 1985 is still waiting for allotment for L.P.G. connection; and

(c) what are the reasons for non-clearance of the above consumers and by when the same is likely to be done?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) 16,000 (Approx.) as on 1.7.1992.

(b) 1,100 (Aprox.) as on 1-7-1982. As reported by Bharat Petroleum Corporation, the applicant did not respond to their intimation letter dated 1.4.1985, and therefore the connection could not be given.

(c) While efforts are being constantly made to give as many LPG connections as possible, the clearance of the waiting list depends on various factors such as product availability, annual enrolment target, etc.

Graduate Engineers working in O.N.G.C. Assam

3913. SHRI BHADRESWAR BURAGOHAIN: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total number of Graduate Engineers employed by the O.N.G.C. in Assam at present; and

(b) what is the total number of Assamese Graduate Engineers working in the O.N.G.C. in Assam and also from outside the State?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) and (b) Statewise lists of Graduate Engineers working in the oil and Natural Gas Commission (ONGC) are not maintained as recruitment is made through open competition in accordance with the procedure prescribed in ONGC (Recruitment and Promotion) Regulations, 1980.

Allotment of L P G dealerships to States

3914. SRHI RATNA BAHADUR RAI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are regularly making allotments of L.P.G. dealerships to different States; and

(b) if so, what is the number of L.P.G. dealerships sanctioned/allotted to different States during the last three years, Statewise?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) and (b) The allotments made during the last three years are as under:—

1989-90	184
1990-91	100
1991-92	81

Conservation of Petroleum Products

3915. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the schemes launched/measures taken to converse petroleum products in various sectors of the economy during 1990-91 and 1991-92;

(b) what has been the results of those schemes/measures so far;

(c) whether any new sectors have been identified for petroleum conservation during the Eighth Plan; and

(d) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) and (b) The various measures include adoption of practices for increasing fuel-efficiency in the